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2. Petition for Extension of Time;
3. Check in the amount of \$950.00 for the extension fee;
4. This transmittal in duplicate; and
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**I. Introductory Comments**

The present paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed October 1, 2003. Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of the time period for reply to the Office action. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$950.00 for the fee due under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3).

No additional fees are believed to be required at this time. If, however, any additional fees are required, I hereby authorize the Commissioner to charge such fees to Haynes and Boone, LLP's, Deposit Account No. 08-1394.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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